

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For :	HIGH MOMENT DIRECTIONALLY TEXTURED SOFT MAGNETIC UNDERLAYER IN A MAGNETIC STORAGE MEDIUM	
Docket No.:	S01.12-0965/STL 11036.00	Examiner: Holly C. Rickman

**AMENDMENT**

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This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated June 16, 2008. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.